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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Harding et al.  
Serial No: 10/600,108  
Filed: June 20, 2003  
For: OPTICAL BAR CODE SCANNER AND  
SYSTEM FOR RETRIEVING BAR CODE DATA

Examiner: Mark Stephen Tremblay  
Art Unit: 2876

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

- (1) RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 5, 2004 (4 pages);
- (2) PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME (1 page, in duplicate);
- (3) INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (2 pages);
- (4) IDS FORM 1449 (2 pages) and REFERENCES A1-A17, B1 -B9, C1;
- (5) CHECK #20172 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$450.00 (PETITION FEE);
- (6) CHECK #20155 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$180.00 (IDS); and
- (7) RETURN RECEIPT POSTCARD.

If any of the above identified items is not included in this submission, the Office is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided.

If the total amount of the enclosed check is insufficient, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the balance due, or to credit any overpayment, to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 50-0311, referencing Attorney Docket No. 17853-046. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed for this purpose.

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